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For: DECORATIVE OUTDOOR CONTAINMENT
SYSTEM

Examiner: J. G. Pickett

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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